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tial for coal-fired generating plants would create 184, 000 jobs in coal mines by 1980, sponsors of the proposal said. The Roosevelt commission's re-port, as it has been discussed so

port. as it has been discussed so far, does not mention federal participation in creation of electrical power facilities. Nor does it set up any fund for development of other facilities such as the one proposed by the public power and labor groups. It does propose creation of a state-federal corporation with very limited powers.

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John Whisman, Kentucky's representative on the commission, said last week that he and his colleagues had avoided putting anything in the Roosevelt repor which might result in political

The Roosevelt plan's failure to

friction.

The Roosevelt plan's failure to make specific proposals for power development, stream navigation or flood control has brought criticism this week from several Eastem Kentucky leaders.

Among them is Paul Hughes of Somerset, a businessmen who is head of the East Lake Cumberland Area Development Council. Hughes said the Roosevelt plan is "tragically short of a total program" for development of East Kentucky.

"As I understand it, the proposal offers no specific plan to fully develop and utilize the resources of the area-such as coal, water, power and navigation. All these critical resources apparently are 6 treated as secondary issues in the program, and seem to be sacrificed for political expediency," Hughes said.

He added that he doubts Congress will accept the Roosevelt program as "a far-reaching, sound plan to put Eastern Kentucky back on its feet."

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as they go. But his is not a to-tal concept which will provide for full and immediate develop-ment, "Hughes said, "Time is short, and East Ken-tuckians must now demand the leadership and the program they have needed so long to give them

Five work projects okayed for county

a real opportunity to catch up with the 20th Century, "he added. Representatives of several area development councils in Eastem Kentucky asked the Roosevelt commission for a program which would provide for comprehensive development of all resources when the commission held its first planning session in Prestonsburg last June. In September creation of a public power program was urged by council representatives in a meeting at Jackson.

None of the area councils has had an opportunity to see the Roosevelt commission report and members by and large know only what they have heard from Whisman at a series of meetings the past week. He has urged the councils to refrain from criticizing the Roosevelt plan.

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The Roosevelt plan was to go to President Johnson earlier this wee President Johnson earlier this week but if he has received it he has not commented on it publicly. Some Washington sources said parts of the plan were being rewritten to strengthen them, but whisman indicated the proposals had already been submitted to several governors of states involved for their signatures and will not be revised. The President is understood to plan a special message to Congress on the problems of Appalachia.

Among strong supporters of proposals for a TVA-type development of the mountain area is whitesburg Atty, Harry, M. Caudill, whose book, "Night Comes to the Cumberlands," has helped to focus national attention on but if he has received it he has

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palachia.
The Mountain Eagle has urged

The Mountain Eagle has urged creation of such a program edi-torially for the past several years and will continue to push for it, Editor Tom Gish said, Gish said he does not believe Eastern Kentuckians will be satisfied with what he termed the "second-rate" program of development proposed so far by the Roosevelt commission.

School attendance up in state but down here

Average daily attendance in Kentucky's public schools in-creased in the state as a whole in the first two months of the current school year but declined in Letcher County, the State De-partment of Education said this week.

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Department figures showed a growth of 1.8 per cent in average daily attendance over the state but a loss of 3.2 per cent in the Letcher County system and a loss of 3.9 per cent in the Jenkins Independent school system.

The Department said that for the first two months of the 1963-64 term, average daily attendance in the Letcher County school system was 6, 729.1. For the same period in the 1962-63 term it was 6, 950. 5. The loss this year amounts to 221.4 pupils.

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Other Eastern Kentucky counters showing a loss in average

Other Eastern Kentucky counties showing a loss in average daily attendance included Breathitt, -2% Jackson City, -4.5% Carter, -7% Elliott, -1.5%; Floyd, -3.9% Harlan County, -3.6%; Lynch Independent, -11.3%; Harlan Independent, -10%; Jackson, -1.35; Menifee, -2.8%; Martin, -5.1%; Pike, -1.5%; Powell, -6%.

One hundred fifteen Letcher County men will begin work on five local projects March 9 under the new program to aid fathers of dependent children.

The men will be paid by federal funds at the rate of \$1 an hour for the work they do. The money they receive will come through the Kentucky Department of Economic Security, which is administering the program on behalf of the federal government, The program is part of President Johnson's emergency winter relief program for Eastern Kentucky.

County Judge James M, Caudill said J. Sneed Yager, supervisor of public works projects for the program, was here this week and approved five projects to begin

TREE PLANTING TIME NEARLY HERE

Trees for spring planting may be ordered now through the ASC office, the Kentucky Division of Fbrestry or the Soil Conservation Service, Service Forester Ted R. Service, Service Forester Ted R. Parten said today.

Landowners who want trees in

time for spring planting should place their orders early so the Division of Forestry may supply the kind of trees requested, he

Early orders also give the divi-sion a chance to make deliveries during suitable planting weather, Parten added.

Parten added,
Trees available this year which
are eligible for cost-sharing payments are the same as those in
past years-white, shortleaf and
loblolly pine; black locust and

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March 9. The five are:
County roads—work on a total
of 36 county roads, to use 50 mer
Clean-up in the city of Jenkins,
to use 15 men.
Cleanup in Whitesburg, to use
20 men.

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Cleanup and repairs at county schools, to use 25 men.

Cleanup at Skyview recreation project near Haymond, five men, Representatives of the Haymond project told Yager they had been promised a state park by former Parks Commissioner Ed Fox. The land, which has been stripmined, was deeded to the community by B, C, Greer of Greer-Ellison Coal Company after the coal had been removed.

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Certification of men to work on the projects was speeded up this week after complaints that the winter would be over before the program got under way. Earle Powell, commissioner of economics ecurity, said today that his department has approved some 700 men in the 11 counties eligible for the program and has about that many applications still pending. The program is designed to extend the aid to dependent children program to children of able-bodied fathers who could not cualify under the standard program. Certification of men to work on program.

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Delays and red tape encountered by applicants for help under the program were criticized in a national telerast last week, Hugh Downs, commentator on the NBC "Today" show, read a list of things applicants must do and remarked that the process "sounds like a Gian-Carlo Menotti opera," Menotti is the composer of several modem operas built around elaborate dream and nightmare scenes.

In the nation's eye

More to come

Letcher County scenes are in-cluded in four major network television shows and also will appear in several books now in

roduction, Two of the TV shows have already appeared. One was part of a two-hour portrayal of pov-erty problems by the "Today" show on NBC Television last Friday morning.

Attys. Harry Caudill and Stan-ley Hogg and some other local residents appeared during the

show.
The second was the second part
"Twentieth Century" episode The second was the second part of a "Twentieth Century" episode on CBS Television Sunday afternoon. Most of the show was filmed in Clay County, but Caudill appeared on this one also. The show contrasted depression in Eastern Kentucky with the boom it had pictured in Houston, Texas, the previous Sunday.

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The "Today" show devoted its first hour to urban pover and it second to rural poverty as shown by Appalachia.

This week a crew from ABC-Television has been in Letcher County, filming scenes which will be included in "1964," to be telecast Easter Sunday. The show is the final one in a series on the saga of Western man. Tw previous shows in the same series have been the widely accelaimed "1492" and "1776," A third program in the series,

"1898, " will be shown this week

"1898," Will be slowed the Acceptage and Next week another crew from NBC-TV will arrive to begin research and filming of a segment of an hour-long documentary to be shown next fall.

A member of the English television crew which was here a few weeks ago wrote this week that the show had been transmitted in Fruland "and seems to have in England "and seems to have been very successful—we have had cuite a lot of letters about it." The British show will not

It. The Bittish show will not be seen in America.

A novel concerning Eastern Kentucky, written by Frank Harvey, has been sold to the Bantam press and will be issued in June.

Harvey spent several weeks in Letcher County just before Christmas.

Two other books about problems of the area also are in production. One is to be written by Philip M. Stem, author of a current book, "The Great Treasury Raid," concerning tax loopholes, which apparently is headed for the best-seller lists. Stem and a Washington, D. C., photographer, George de Vincent, spent several weeks in Letcher County last month. The second is being written by Tom Bethel, a young editor for Houghton-Mifflin Company, Boston publishers. Bethel spent a month here last summer, another month last fall and will return in March to spend several weeks in the area Two other books about problems spend several weeks in the area with a photographer.

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gram of screening is expected to take 12 months.
When the team finds persons who need medical attention, it will refer them to local physicians or hospitals. County health officials will be responsible for following up on actual care.
One purpose of the detection program, Dr. Teague said, is to acquaint county residents with health services already available in their areas and to determine

in their areas and to determine what additional facilities are

needed.
The Public Wealth Service grant will provide transportation to bring residents to the county health the testing equipment and supplies already in the counties.

Counties besides Letcher which will be included in the program are Whitley, Bell, Harim, Pike, Martin, Floyd, Knott, erry, Leslie, Clay, Laurel, Jackson, Owsley, Lee, Breathitt, Wolfe and Knox.



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State Fund Aids Conservation Work

THIS BULLDOZER, operated by O. D. Dalton of Pulaski County, is one of more than 600 pieces of heavy specialized equipment purchased through loans from the equipment revolving fund of the State Conservation Department's Division of Soil and Water Resources. More than \$5 million has been loaned from the fund in its 15 years of existence to help farmers and soil conservationists dig ponds, build farm roads and clear land for better conservation of Kentucky's natural resources.

DEMOCRATERS WAIT FOR CHANCE TO GRIPE ABOUT RAIN

By MABEL KISER Democraters like the rest of us are waiting for cloudless skies and gardening time, so that we can then grumble about the lack of

Miss Sue Wright, Detroit, was home recently for a visit with her parents, the John Wrights.

Mrs. Sam Sergent is home and is much improved after her stay in Whitesburg hospital. Visiting the Sergents were Airman Ronald B. Sergent from Andrews Air

Force, Washington, D. C., and Mrs, Jeanie Adams and her newly adopted daughter Christie Ann. Calling Mom to talk were Mrs. Anna Lee Goins, of Detroit, and son Richard Sergent, of Loraine, Ohio.

Ohio.

Mrs. Joyce Ann Sergent is recuperating at her home after surgery in the Jenkins clinic.

Recent guests of the John Wrights
were her parents the Monroe
Blairs, Detroit. The Blairs also
visited Mrs. Blair's mother, Mrs.

Mary Jane Hall, Red Fox. Mrs.
Hall has been on the sick list
Harold Richardson and Mazie
Caudill were married recently.
A household shower was given
for them Friday night by Mrs.
Martha Richardson. A large number of guests attended and the
couple received many nice gitts,
Willie Gollins is doing fine after
suffering from a heart condition
for several mouths. The Collins
tell us their Grandson, Jerry,
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Head for the hills!

The U. S. Department of Agriculture held a press conference in Washington this week to announce that it is going to continue to do business in the same old way in so far as its efforts to do anything to help the poverty-stricken of the nation are con-

the to do unstained to the poverty-stricken of the nation are concerned.

The department appears to be determined to pile failure upon failure, almost as if it were afraid of success.

In essence, the department stated that it will follow the same programs and policies nationally that it has followed in Eastem Kentucky in its war on poverty.

This program, we are told, will be applied not only in the Appalachian area. but in the southem states from the Atlantic coast to Texas and Oklahoma, to the timper and iron-ore regions of the northem Lakes states, to the Spanish-American areas of the southwest, and to the Indian reservations and other scattered parts of the northwest.

And just what is this magical formula that has worked so well in Eastem Kentucky that it is to be a national model? Fred W. Luigart Jr., writing in the Louisville Courier-Journal, tells us that it will include the commodity and food-stamp programs, grants and loans to homeowners to "winterize" their houses and special efforts to provide needy schoolchildren with lunches, and some kind of temporary work projects.

All of this is indeed familiar ground to Eastem Kentuckians,

and some kind of temporary work projects.
All of this is indeed familiar ground to Eastern Kentuckians,
These programs have all been tried here. And school children
stil go without lunches, residents of shacks still live in shacks,
and work projects still are unknown. The commodity program
of course, has kept thousands of Eastern Kentuckians alive, but
this has been the total contribution of the U. S. Department of
Agriculture.

this has been the total control of the Farmers Agriculture. Recently, the Kentucky state administrator of the Farmers Home Administration, stated that employees of his agency were the "storm troopers" of the national "War on Poverty." If this is the program and these are the people who are to rescue Eastern Kentucky—and the poor all over America—then we had better warrander now.

surrender now.
You can't win a war, nor even fight a skirmish, without weapons. The USDA attack is nothing but another kind of welfare program which ignores completely the underlying causes of the war and the courses of battle which could bring victory. Now they are to start treating the Indians just like they treat the Kentucky mountaineers. We do hope the Indians have abandoned scalping, or Secretary of Agriculture Freeman will stand in mortal peril.

Breathitt proposal would subsidize rape

Governor Edward T. Breathitt has told the Kentucky legislature that proposed regulation of the strip-mining industry in Eastern Kentucky can be relaxed somewhat because the unemployed of the area can be put to work through a welfare program reclaim-

Kentucky can be relaxed somewhat because the unemployed of the area can be put to work through a welfare program reclaiming the spoil banks. We admit that at first glance this sounds like a good idea—Eastem Kentucky has a big reclamation problem resulting from strip-mining, it has unemployed persons, and it has a welfare program? Why not put the three together?

Actually, we find much that is wrong and little that is right about the idea. In effect, the governor is saying to the coal industry: You won't have to do much reclamation; we will do it for you with tax dollars.

Further, the governor is proposing that hundreds of Eastem Kentuckians, who otherwise might be hired by the coal industry for reclamation work, be hired instead by the welfare program at a wage of only \$1 an hour, a starvation wage in this inflated age.

The proposed strip-mine control bill mentioned by Governor Breathit or ginally called for a flat \$50 an acre fee, with proceeds to be placed in a fund to reclaim "orphan banks" left by past strip operators. Governor Breathitt, recalling that the state is embarking upon a make-work program for unemployed fathers, said that these welfare recipients could be put to work on the reclamation work and that the proposed \$50 fee could be reduced to \$25.

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"We can do with this \$6 million program a whole lot more than we can with this extra \$25." said Breathitt.

This, however, would be absolutely nothing but a \$6 million annual public, tax-paid subsidy, largely federally financed, for the strip coal industry. In effect, the state and Uncle Sam would be paying the coal operators for the rape they do in Eastern Kentucky. Further, a \$6 million public reclamation program would amount to a subsidy of about \$1 a ton for the strip coal operator in Eastern Kentucky.

It is the coal operator who is doing the rape, and it is the coal operator who should pay the doctor hill.

And what would this be doing to the coal miner? First, he loses his job because of unfair, tax-supported comfetition from the strip coal operator. Then, he learns that to exist he must accept a welfare; job at \$1 an nour, reparing the damage wrought by the beast which cost him his joc. Instead of trying to find ways to provide reclamat on that will be painless to the coal operators, he should think first of the people of Eastern Kentucky who continue to see their homes and farms devastated by strip operators, and he should not try to kid himself or Kentuckians generally into a belief that the damage can be repaired. It cannot be.

The only way to help Eastern Kentucky as faces the monster of strip mining is to destroy the monster. To subsidize him with public funds will only increase his appetite and make more swift the total devastation facing the area.

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Current Comment:

OUR FELLOW AMERICANS IN APPALACHIA NEED HELP--NOW!

Any McLean Countian who saw "Depressed Area, USA" s day afternoon and was not deeply moved is a heartless soul has learned nothing of the Christian's concern for his fellow

man.

Here were Kentuckians, twentieth century product of proud Anglo-Saxon blood. (No "inferior" race, this. No "mongrel" blood. No ignorant foreign element. Just pure, native-bom Kentuckians.) Kentuckians unemployed because their jobs have been taken by machines and changing industry. Kentuckians dependent upon "welfare" because they cannot find jobs. There is poverty here. You can see it in the pictures of the homes. You can see it in the faces of the people. You can find it in the cold, hard statistics. (One half of all families in Clay County have incomes of less than \$1,800 PER FAMILY. And the families are large.)

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Why?
Perly Ayer, a teacher at Berea and one of the wisest students of Appalachia's peculiar problems, summed it up this way:
The problem is; more people than we need to do what used to be done, less education than we need to function, and not knowing where to go from here.

There are "pockets of poverty" scattered over the nation. Some of the ugliest are in the slums of the big cities. Many are in poor farming areas of the West and South. But the largest and worst is Appalachia with its eight million people in the hills of Kentucky and nine other states.

It is those in Kentucky with whom we are primarily concerned. These are our own people. They are Kentuckians. They did not earn their fate. They just happen to have been born in a land that has little to sell but coal. And now-through no fault of theirs, unless it may be said that those who follow John L. Lewis may have speeded the process of mechanization and conversion to gas and oil--they have no jobs. Many of them are too strongly tied to their home valleys to want to leave. (Who among us can blame a man for loving the place of his birth-his home?)

And if they leave, where can they go? Where can a mountain

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And if they leave, where can they go? Where can a mountain man with a fourth or fifth grade education who knows nothing but mining and a little mountain farming go to find a home and a job?

This is our problem. The problem of all of us who are Kentuckians and who claim to be heirs of the Judeo-Christian heritage of brotherly love.

There appears to be no solution except massive government action.

action.

This is a task that challenges the highest talents of the Johnson administration. Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr., has shown a great interest in developing a program that will brong long-range solution to the Appalachian problems. Now, President Johnson has called the talents of Sargent Shriver to oversee the entire program to combat poverty. We have been told: "If you don't believe that Lyndon Johnson is sincere about fighting poverty, just wait and see."

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-- from the McLEAN COUNTY NEWS, Calhoun, Ky,

NOT MUCH TO SING ABOUT

All over the country popular singers are singing folk songs. But down in Appalachia, where many of these songs originated, there isn't much singing. There's not too much left to sing about.

--WALTER CRONKITE, on Twentieth Century's "Depressed Area, USA," telecast last Sunday.

POVERTY AND DISARMAMENT

Profits, wages and employment are all at record levels today, yet 4 million Americans are jobless and 30 million live in families whose incomes are less than \$3,000 a year. At all levels of government—from the White House to City Hall—programs for combating poverty are being feverishly drafted, with next November well in mind.

No undertaking could be more deserving of total national commitment than aggressive war against urban and rural slums, against undereducation, against inadequate medical care and other manifestations of encrusted social neglect. The danger is that the campaign will degenerate too quickly into empty sloganeering and thus leave in greater despair than ever those whom it is supposed to help.

The conquest of poverty will be neither swift not cheap. For the first year President Johnson says he hopes to make nearly a billion dollars in new money available for Federal anti-poverty programs. However, the indications are that the amount actually to be spent for the 1964-65 fiscal year will not exceed one-third that amount. This is perhaps as much as can be usefully applied at the start; but vastly larger appropriations will be necessary later if the assault is to attain the massive dimension essential to chop away the root causes of dependency.

The nation's awareness of this need comes just as it has been found possible to make the first modest cuts in the billion-dol-lara—week military budget. What could be more appropriate than to establish now, as a matter of conscious national policy, a clear link between cutsacks in defense spending and increased investment in human welfare and community services?

Improved international understanding, plus the "overkill" capacity already possessed by both sides in the cold war, may in the foresecable future permit dependable agreements for scaling down outlays for weapons, How quickly such cuts can be made with safety we do not yet know. But already the possibility that a development so beneficial to all peoples would upset the domestic economy has prompt

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By CECIL HENSLE

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By MABEL KISER
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dictionary.
Simple people like me are very
confused, When we see and hear
all we have heard said about us
in recent weeks, we can't help
but wonder if there is any place
any more for an honest, hardworking citizen. We used to
read of the survival of the fittest, but now we wonder. It
seems as if they are pushing aside those who are trying so hard
to be self-supporting. It is true
that we have our worthy needy,
and I thank God for a country that
has a government humane enough
to set in agencies like the welfare. has a government humane en to set up agencies like the welfare agency, but the common laborer who is trying very hard by honest toil to support his family at least should recieve an honorable ment-

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley en-joyed cake and coffeewith the C. B. Passes at the B. Passes at their home Sun-

afternoon.
r. William Newsome is doing fair after his recent serious ill-

nar arter ins recent serious III-ness.

Misses Karla and Kay Lark were the Friday night guests of Miss Rebecca Pass. The girls, along with Miss Gloria Cook, all went bowling.

Deserving a medal for his good deeds for his grandparents is Kris Bentley. Kris, a teenager, is always seen helping his grandparents, the Otho Bentleys, after school hours and on the week ends. Mrs. C. B. Pass will go Tuesday to Bristol where she will meet her children, Mr, and Mrs. Jimmy Robinson, and their new baby whom she has never seen. The Robinsons have been in Alaska for the past several months. They

Robinsons have been in Alaska for the past several months. They will fly from Alaska and will spend thirty days with the Passes.

Blaine and I enjoyed Dinner Sunday and a pleasant afternoon visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, and their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and their children Mark and Martie. Mr. Iohnson is a printer and works in Pikeville. Others calling on the Cooks were Mr. and Mrs. Bernette Hall

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and their three children, Bern-ette, son of an old friend, is a technicial at the former UMW hospital in Pikeville. They had lived in Ohio, and are glad to be back in Kentucky. This was the first time I had seen him

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Profitt are home after visiting their children in Cleveland in Cleveland.

in Cleveland,
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meade
drove to Hindman Sunday to see
Mrs. Meade's father, Ezekiel
Bentley, He was doing fair, Mrs.
Meade's brother, Roy Bentley,
has gone to Connersville, Indiana,
to the home of a son, Everett,
so that he may be near a doctor.
Roy has been quite ill,
Mrs. Maggie Mason is doing
fair, but hasn't bean out very
much this winter. She hopes to
visit her children in Cleveland
soon.

visit her children in Cleveland soon, Mr. and Mrs. Walden Cuddy are home to stay. They are living in the house formerly occupied by Woodrow Slone.
PFC Dennis Martin called his parents, the Sherd Martins, from Germany, and said he is not as homesick now as he was at first. The Martins' daughter, Mrs. Bob Reedy, Seymour, Ind., also telephoned.

Mrs. Ben Franklin still is feeling fine, and is planning some spring sewing. Dinner guests of the Franklins Sunday were Mrs. Maryland Bates, Jonanor, Ky. and Mrs. Paul Hampton and children. Calling in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown and family, and Mrs. brown's aunt, Mrs. Delzia Collins, of Spingfield, Ohio, Mrs. Ed Tolliver taught school for Sherman Meade while he and the family were in North Carolina to see their sick son, Wendell.

The 1sh Preridges tell us they Mrs. Ben Franklin still is feel-

Irvine were visiting his parents the Dave Colliers Sunday with their two daughters, the youngest of whom the Colliers had never

Mrs. Sherman Meade will re-

seen.

Mrs. Sherman Meade will remain in North Carolina with their son Wendell for some time, W. D. Bentley is at work again and is doing fair. Mr. Bentley is suffering from a heart condition. Because of bad weather the Holbrooks did not leave for Florida as they had planned. The roads were so bad they couldn't get to the Bristol airport. They will go later.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Ray, of Thornton, are caring for the old folks who were in their mother's care while Mrs. Addington is in the hospital. She is doing nicely after surgery in Lexington. Knonda Meade, daughter of the Jessie Meades, is in the Pikeville Methodist Hospital and is said to be quite ill.

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I was glad to hear the sons of
two Letcher Countians on the
radio last week. Ronnie Fields,
son of the Herman Fields, Kings
Creek, and Eddie Holbrook, son
of Edwin Holbrook, Craft's colly,
are both enrolled in vocational
activatives in Whiteshoru High agriculture in Whitesburg High School under Varon Campbell,

and both belong to the Future Farmers of America. We were sorry to learn that Mrs. Carl Kiser, Detroit, has been ill and off from work for several weeks. The Kiser's young-est son, Bennie Willis, will be home from Germany soon.

Steve Verse, Jr., Corbin, is visiting his grandparents, the Lawrence Kings, Pine Mountain. Steve has sold his home and is moving to California where his mother, Mary King, lives,

John Morgan Mullins and Dempsy Mullins, both of Kingsport, enjoyed dinner Saturday with the Ballard Meades, Fleming, after attending the Hemphill Regular Baptist Church,
Mrs. Ballard Meade and Mrs. Sarah Ouillen visited their brother Nathan Wright and his wife in Haymond Sunday afternoon, Mr. Wright and his wife both are ill. Mrs. Wright is able to sit up some after suffering an injury in a fall recently.

in a fall recently.

Mrs. Clely Meade, Deane, is
in the Jenkins clinic for surgery.
She is the daughter of Mrs. Hillard Meade, of Deane.

Now when all this snow is flying and we are so anxiously a-

ing and we are so anxiously a-waiting for the spring sunshine.

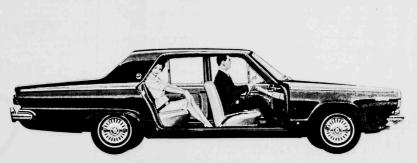
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A Lady's Finger quilt pieced by Mrs. Lida Collins was all set up ready for quilting when guests arrived for a "quilting bee" at the home of Mrs. Sherman Wright at Fleming last week. Grouped around the colorful quilt are (left to right) Mrs. Jim Revis, Mrs. Myra Wright, Mrs. Sherman Wright, Mrs. Alfred Adams, Mrs. James Hawley, Mrs. Delsey Collins, Mrs. Paul Basham, Mrs. Elmer Wright and Mrs. Ellen Yonts.



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TWO QUILTS COMPLETED AT QUILTING BEE AT WRIGHT HOMETE

By MRS. JIM REVIS

An old-fashioned quilting bee was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Sherman Wright. It was given by Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Lida Collins. The day was cold and the snow was flying, and it certainly did bring back "the good old days." The ladies enjoyed some good conversation as they quilted a "Christmas Cactus" quit for Mrs. Wright and a "Lady's Finger" for Mrs. Collins. Mrs. Sherman Wright and Mrs. Myra Wright cooked chicken and dumplings for dinner for the group as the quilting went on.

Those attending the quilting bee included Mrs. Alfred V. Adams, Mrs. James Hawley, Mrs. Delsey Collins, Mrs. Paul Basham, Mrs. Elmer Wright, Mrs. Doris Brown, Mrs. Mrs. Mrs. Paul Basham, Mrs. Elmer Wright, Mrs. Doris Brown, Mrs. Hazel Pack, who has been acting postmistress at Fleming for two and a half years, was commissioned postmistress the 22nd of January and was notified of her appointment a few days ago by the postmaster general. Nrs. Myrtle Reed, sister-in-law of Mrs. John Fleenor of Fleming, was visiting the Fleenors from Big Stone Gap. Miss Mary Lou Fleenor's Granduaghter, was visiting them fortwo weeks.

Mrs. Bob Williams entertained her eighth grade pupils at a Valentine party Friday night in the basement of the Methodist church. Thirty-five youngsters attended.

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Whitaker, who are stationed in Hawaii, are

basement of the Methodist church. Thirty-five youngsters attended.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitaker, who are stationed in Hawaii, are the parents of a son born Feb. 12 at the Naval Hospital. The baby was named Charles Mark Whitaker for his granddad; he weighed six pounds at birth. The mother 6s is the former Sue Millich of Neon and the father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Delsey McCray of Neon, Mrs. Edward (Alma) Maggard is

a patient at Mount Carmel Mercy Hospital in Detroit for X-rays and

Hospital in Detroit for X-rays and tests.
Visiting her Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Linville Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Linville Banks, Mr. and her husband, Ed Maggard.
Mr. and Mrs. William Blair of Detroit were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dan M. Blair and Danny, paul and Kathy, and Mrs. Barbara Krolo and Sharon and Lori.
Mr. and Mrs. Credie King (Sarah Noble) and son Arvie Genewere visitors of the Elbert Richardson family recently.
Good luck wishes are being sent to Darrell (Porky) Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loonard Hall, on his exams for entry to West Point.
Mrs. Elza Franklin, formerly

his exams for entry to West Poir Mrs. Elza Franklin, formerly of Thomton, was visiting her nephew and niece, Dan Blair and Mrs. Barbara Krolo, Sunda Mr. and Mrs. Everett Howell went to Norton, Va., to visit their son, Ronald, and his wife and children. While there the Howells called their daughter, ludy who lives in Hollwood. riowens called their daughter, Judy, who lives in Hollywood, Florida, to wish her a happy birthday. Judy tells them she and her family have taken a house overlooking the lake and she says it's almost in her back yard and the scenery is beautiful.

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Mrs. Howell is feeling better after spending a week in the Harlan Hospital. She will return Saturday for a checkup. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Howell and family were visiting the Howells Saturday. They also visited Mrs. Howell's grandmother, Mrs. Essie Quillen.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Isaac Young, who died of a heart attack Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duward Banks and family went to Louisville to visit Mr. Banks' brother, Duane, and his family over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Bentley and family were in Dayton, Ohio, over the week end to visit Mrs. Bentley's mother, Mrs. Adeline Collins, and her three sisters and their families.

Mrs. Rudell Penny went to Johnson City Sunday to visit her husband, who is still there suffering from an injury to a blood vessel

in his head.

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from Lexington as guest week end.
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Hemphill JOHN WRIGHT VISITS PARENTS HERE BEFORE TRANSFER TO ENGLAND

By SARAH ADAMS

lovely they make our hillsides look against the background of white snow?

We were glad to see Blaine's niece and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall (Magadelene Kiser) from Batavia, Ohio. They bhalls tell us they recently have been to Clearwater, Florida and enjoyed the visit very much. They were accompanied by their three girls and by Mr. Hall's parents, the Harold Halls.

We are always glad to learn of Millstoners who are away from home and doing good. Mrs. Leonard Powell, the former Latue Kiser, is attending beauty school in Nashville. Her sister, Aileen, (Mrs. Leonard Simmons) and her brother Carl Edward now are liveling in California. Carl Edward still is single. Aileen and her husband have a little girl. Henry Clark lives in Texas, is married and has one child. Douglas is in Germany, is planning to be home in March. Joan married Roland Barr, and has one child, a boy. They live in Georgetown, Ohio. Larry and Garry, 14 and 16, are still at home.

Joe Bentley took his mother, Mrs. Otho Bentley, to see her sister Mrs. William Holbrook on Craft's Colly Sunday. Mrs. Holbrook has been ill for sometime. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hall and Mrs. Lundy Addington, Ermine, were visiting Mrs. Otho Bentley last week.

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Mr, and Mrs. William Newsome (Preacher) had church services at their home Sunday night. Mr. Newsome is in his late eighties and is not doing too well after being siek a long time.
Mr, and Mrs. Cletis Hoskins, Dayton, formerly of Mayking, have been visiting relatives in and around Letcher County this month.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor and girls, of Seeaman, Ohio, were the week end guests of the Law-

the week end guests of the Law-son Halls,
Friends of Willie Taylor, Hay-mond, were happy to learn he
was able to be out and about after suffering a hear t attack recently in Winchester, Ohio,
Mr. and Mrs. Hillard Meade,
Deane, received a letter from
Elder Bill Rose. He is somewhat
improved after a long illness.
Mr. and Mrs. William Hall are
both very ill in the Jenkins clinic,
Mrs. Hall is the former Fairy
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at home were Mr. and Mrs. Char-lie B. Wright of Wyandotte, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gooch and family of Neon and Mr. and Mes

and Mrs. Chause of the wight family of Neon and Mr. and Mrs. Conley Webb. A birthday dinner was the son of the Wright family visiting ter of Mrs. Rosanna Sturgill Tyre. We extend sympathy to the family of Howard Yontz, Thornton who died last week after a long illness. Howard was the son of Ezekiel and Francis Meade Yonts. Ezekiel died several years ago. All the trees planted in Letcher County by the Kentucky division of forestry are beginning to look beautiful. Have you noticed how lovely they make our hillsdes look against the background of white snow?

We were glad to see Blaine's niece and her husband, Mrs. Bill Hall (Manner of Mrs. Townsel Halcomb and Hamelong and Hamelong and Mrs. Townsel Halcomb and Hamelong and Hamelong and Hamelong and Mrs. Townsel Halcomb and Hamelong and Hamelong and Hamelong and Hamelong and Mrs. Townsel Halcomb and Hamelong and Hamelo

Hemphill Grade School, is seriously Ill with heart trouble at the Paintsville Hospital.

Mrs. Lois Everetts, daughter of Mr, and Mrs. Elbert Hill of Fleming, is still very sick in the St. Marys Hospital at Knoxville, where she is employed as a nurse. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Adams Jr. and Mrs. Andrew Adams Jr. and Hazel Andrea were calling on relatives in and around Hemphill on Sunday,

R. D. Tolliver of McRoberts is very sick in the Whitesburg Hospital. He may un dergo surgery. Dewey Sexton of Detroit, Mich, was in to see his folks, Mr. amd Mrs. Noah Isaac and family. His father, Shade Sexton, returned to Detroit with him.

The Rev. Lloyd Pike will hjold a revival at the Hemphill Freewill Baptist Church beginning the second Sunday in March.

Alvin Kincer of Whitaker is still very sick after undergoing surgery in the Whitesburg Hospital. His children, Mrs. Howard Combs and LaRee Kincer of Dayton, Ohio, have come in to be with him.

Other children will be coming in. Sharon Donnelly, daughter of Mr, and Mrs. Lawrence Donnelly, gave a party on Saturday night. About 20 of her friends attended. Mr., and Mrs. Robert Tolliver and children; and Lonnie Stover of Lorain, Ohio, were in over the

week end visiting with relatives.
Mr. Stover and Miss Irene Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Richard Anderson, drove to Clintwood, Va., Saturday and were
married there. They will make
their home in Lorain, where he
is employed.

their home in Lorain, where he is employed.

Hanes (Happy) Arnold is back at home after a serious sick spell in the Harlan Hospital, where he underwent surgery. His children have all been in to see him.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pass are the owners of a new 1964 black

and yellow Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Adams of Goose Creek are parents of a six-pound son.

Goose Creek are parents of a six-pound son.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amold Hall in honor of their daughter, Jo Ann, who is seven. Guests included Terry and Jett Wright; Debbie, Sharon and Larry Jones, Debbie and Eddie Spangler, Jerry Kiser, Amn Hampton, Emie Coller, Gail Riley, Mark James, Hazel Andrea Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Tip James,



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demonstration agent, brought the council up to date on several e-vents, since the council had not vents, since the council had not met since November. Herman Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Craft were guests at the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Banks will be hosts for the next meeting on the fourth Tuesday in March, at 6:30 p. m. Anyone interested in 4-H Club work may attend. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Polly of Mayking visited Mrs. Rachel Frost and Mrs. Betty Gibson Sunday.

day.
The Wednesday night singing session was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Day

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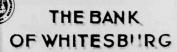
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this week.
Darrel Holbrook is still in the hospital at Lexington and is about the same.
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stapleton and Mr. and Mrs. Judd Duncil and Jennifer drove to the Bristol airport the 16th and met the Stapletons' son, Sgt. Carl Stapleton, who flew in to visit his family for the first time in three and a half years. He spent a week with them and while here he went to Wise to visit other relatives. On the 24th his family drove him back to the airport, where he boarded a plane for Fort Dix, N. J., where he will be stationed in Colorado Springs. He is trying for 30 years in service; he has already served 21 years.

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This week in Whitesburg

Mrs. Ernest Adams is much improved after suffering from pneumonia recently. We are glad to hear that the folks around Kings Creek are receiving their long-awaited telephones.

Mrs. Oda Crase drove to Winchester last week to see her mot-her, Mrs. I. B. Ritchie. Mrs. Ritchie was not improved very much. Mrs. Ritchie formerly

much. Mrs. Ritchie formerly operated a rooming house in Whitesburg.
Mrs. Nora Boyd and Mrs. Minnie Adams were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis at the woman's club in the Coffee House

and Mrs. Leonard Lewis at the woman's club in the Coffee House Saturday night.

Mrs. Donald Adams, injured in a car wreck some time ago, was able to return to her work at Dawhare's store this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J Arrington have returned home after a twomonth visit with their daughter. Avia Bryson, in Spartan, S. C., daughter Evelyn Carroll in Victoria, Texas; niece Mrs. Johnny Corobin in Beaumont, Texas, and two nieces, Mrs. Willis and Mrs. August Galliano in Huston, Texas. They had perfect weather almost all the time. The lowest temperature was around 40 degrees. They enjoyed many sights, as they did a boat ride in Huston Bay. Mrs. Arrington said that

they did a boat ride in Huston Bay. Mrs. Arrington said that while she was enjoying the sunshine she thought about all of us up here shivering in the snow. Mrs. N. H. Craft has been on the sick list for several days. Friends of Ray Tolliver will be sorry to learn he is critically ill in Mansfield, Ohio. He suffered a heart attack several days ago and is in the Mansfield hospital. Ray is a brother to Mrs. A. J. Leach, Whitesburg, and Millard Tolliver, tormer principal of the

Leach, Whitesburg, and Millard Tolliver, former principal of the Whitesburg High School.
Mrs. Minnie Adams is home after visiting her niece, Mrs. Cecil Ballard, and Mrs. Jim Bentley, Lexington, and her son and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Adams, Lawrenceburg, Follace Fields is recuperating very nicely after surgery in Baptist hospital, Lexington. Friends of Romnie Banks will be happy to learn he is able to be home from the hospital.

Week end guests of the Troy Stallards were Mr. and Mrs. Harold McIntosh and children rarold and Minnie, of Springfield, Tenn., and the Stallard's daughter, Susan, from Lee's College. Son Troy is expected home next week end, House guests of the Lee Adams this week end were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Adams, Lexington, Mr. Adams is the Eastern Kentucky representative of the Alemite Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dixon spent Sunday in Pikeville with their son, James A. Dixon, and family. The Dixons lave been very busy this winter, which is a good way to keep young. Mr. Dixon makes dulcimers as a hobby. He now is rushing very hard to get one ready to send to a friend in Washington for a birtuay gift.

ready to send to a friend in Washington for a birthiady glffi. It will be prayer week for the ladies of the First Baptist Church March 1 through March 8.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Holbrook and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis drove to Hazard Sunday to see a sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. John Adkins, who have moved back from Geor gia.

Mrs. Troy Stallard plans a party Saturday night at her home for Miss Ruth Blackburn, Pike-ville, who is president of the

ty saturday night at her home for Miss Ruth Blackburn, Pike-ville, who is president of the Kentucky Federation of Business and Professional Women.

The Whit sburg Woman's Club met Saturday night at the Coffee House with about 53 members and guests present. It was husband night, and the men were guests of their wives. The Whitesburg Chorus Club under the direction of Mr. Robert Gatton presented several musical selections, including two solos by Miss Linda Vergson and Mr. Phillip Gatton, Miss Ella Kaye Hammock accompanied them on the piano. Mrs. Ruby Burkich presided, and Mrs. Anne Caudill had charge of the program.

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We extend sympathy to the family of Charles Gray, Hazard, who died Sunday at the Whitesburg Hospital, Mr. Gray was the father of Mrs. John Frazier, cashier of the Whitesburg hospital

ital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Turner will celebrate their sixth wedding an-

niversary on Wednesday, March 18, at their home in Colly Gap. Church services will be held. The observance also will honor Mr. Turner's birthday.

Harry M. Gaudill is in Washington, D. C., where he will speak to the Democratic Women's Club. Tuesday night he spoke to the woman's club at Pikeville. He testified earlier Tuesday at a hearing on stripmining control at transfort.

Mrs. Nora Boyd has returned to her home here after spending several months with her children away from Letcher County.

Mrs. Marjorie Gabbard and her two daughters will move this week end from their home in the Upper Bottom to the Westover house on Pine Mountain.

Billy Cooper Vermittion, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vermillion of Whitesburg, has been pledged to Delta Tau Delta social fraternity at the University of Kentucky, Other Letcher County fraternity at the University of Kentucky, Other Letcher County fraternity pledges at UK are Robert P. Walker, son of Mr., and Mrs.

Powell Walker of Neon, Pi Kappa Alpha, and Raiph Whitaker, son of Mr., and Mrs. P. Whitaker, Jenkins, Lambda Chi Alpha.

Mrs. Cro Caudill of Whitesburg is staying with the children of Mr., and Mrs. Harry Caudill while their parents are away.

Soil Conservation (from Page 4)

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our mountain land for our grandchildren as well as mean some
money in the pockets of these people who are living toflay.

Now is the time to order your
trees for 1964. If you are interestedg ob y the ASC office, see the
service forester or contact the Soil
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Bascom McIntyre of Letcher
grew com by controlling weeds
with 2-4-D last year. He says
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hogs for five years. Needless to
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Jonah Caudill of Jeremiah will renovate pasture in 1964.

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Local residents' kin to direct band at Fair

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Harrison W. Elliott, who has
several relatives here, will direct
his "Band of Gold" from Inman,
S. C., in concert at the New York
worlds' Fair April 28.
Elliott is a son of M. B. Elliott,
a nicec of Mrs. Annie Stumbo
and a brother of John T. Elliott,
all connected with Stumbo Supply Co. of Whitesburg, He also
is a nephew of Willis Hamilton,
operator of the Rainbow Grill,
His band is known as "South
Carolina's most traveled band."
It has appeared in nine major
American events, including the
Kentucky Derby.

Democrat . . (from Page 3)

seven year old son of the Claude Profitts, of Indianapolis, underwent surgery for a brain tumor earlier this year, but is doing fine and will return to school soon.

Mrs. Martha Richardson and Mrs. Harold Richardson were calling on Miss Alkie Sergent this week.

Mrs. Empa Cook is with her daughter, "rs. Martha Richardson, after spending the winter with another daughter, Mrs. Eve Bentley, at Haymond. Mrs. Cook is doing fine.

Mrs. Ollie Tolliver, 74, is still spry, and she walks out to visit

spry, and she walks out to visit her neighbor, Willie Collins, despite the ice and snow. Spencer Jent is very ill at this

SEVEN HOMEMAKERS PLAN TO ATTEND LEXINGTON MEETING

Seven Letcher County Home-makers Club members plan to attend the annual meeting of the Kentucky Federation of Homemakers at the University of Kentucky March 30-April 2. They include Mrs. John Ienkins, vice president of county homemakers; Mrs. Marjorie Gabbard, home egent; Mrs. Jack Craft, Mrs. Glenn Clay, Mrs. Bernard Banks, Miss Bonnie Griffie, Mrs. Virgil Picklesimer and Mrs. Joe Ramsey.

The program will emphasize "the changing role of leadership." The principal speaker will be Miss Mary Helton of the women's division of the US Department of Labor. Dr. W. A. Seay, dean of the UK College of Agriculture, also will speak. Both will discuss social and economic changes in the nation and state.

What the Doverty war

What the poverty war is trying to correct

Kentucky had a median family income of \$4,051 a year in 1960, according to figures released this week by the US Census Bureau. This represented an increase of 98, 9 per cent since 1950 but was still below the national median

of \$5, 660. Letcher County's median income in 1960 was \$1, 705, less than half that for Kentucky as a whole, and less than a third of the national median income.



Which Rifle Killed the "Bar"?

DANIEL BOONE'S famed Kentucky Rifle, now on display in the Kentucky Rifle, and on display in the Kentucky Rifle, now on display in the Kentucky Rifle, and the Navy's news powered submarine U.S.S. Daniel Boone. This close-up of the stocks of the guns shows how Boone's carvings on his gun (bottom) were reproduced fully on the replica made by Rex Maxey, antique gun expert from West is Kentucky.

Fraser elected by college society

Terence Fraser, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Fraser of Jenkins, has been elected vice president of the Sachsen Society, one of five men's major.

One at Berea

Mrs. Clara Fay S only Letcher Count rolled at Berea Col current semester, said this week.



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Hugh Pennington, the store clerk, went off to Chicago, Ill., for a job there, He had worked in Chicago before coming here last fall. Saturday moming Mr, and Mrs, Orval Hughes drove to Lexington and on to Cynthiana for a weekend visit with relatives there. They returned home Sunday night, Sunday morning Tommy Hatton went to Whitesburg Hospital suffering from paralysis of his arms and legs. He will be there for several days,
Cathleen and Peggy Stidham signed up on the vocational training this past week for typists' schooling at Whitesburg. They began their training this week.

TREE PLANTING . . . (from Page 1)

yellow poplar. These trees also may be bought for eash.

Trees available for Christmas tree production are Scotch pine and eastern red cedar. Trees planted for Christmas trees are not eligible for cost-share payments and must be paid for at the time the order is placed.

Parten said trees should be set in open fields where there is little or no competition from existing trees and shrubs. If low quality trees and shrubs are present on a site where young seedlings are to be planted, then the landowner should apply for site preparation at the time the tree order is placed. Site preparation





CONSTITUTION DRAFTING GROUP SWORN IN--State Court of Appeals Justice James B. Mitliken (left) administered the oath of office to members of the Kentucky Constitution Revision Assembly meeting in Frankfort to draft a model constitution to be submitted later for the approval of Kentucky voters. The bi-partisan group, representing all sections of the state, met in the House of Representatives chamber in the Old Capitol at Frankfort, the same chamber in which the state's present constitution was drafted in 1890 and 1891.

present constitution was drafted includes the cutting of unded rable trees and shrubs and the chemical treatment applied to prevent their sprouting before new seedlings are planted. This practice when needed is eligible for cost share payments when carried out under the supervision of a forester.

Parten said areas that are to be planted should be protected from grazing, which is detrimental to young seedlings and saplings. Cost share is also available for the construction of a protective fence if it is constructed according to specifications and supervised by a designated forester, Parten said.

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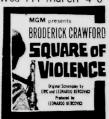
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CARETAKERS





Wed-Fri March 4-6



AND



Cumberland River MRS. MULLINS, DAUGHTERS AND BROTHER VISIT RELATIVES IN NASHVILLE

By SHARON TERRY

Mrs. Mabel Mullins, daughters
Donna and Diane, and her brother, Cecil Collier, left Friday
for Nashville to visit her brother,
Millard Collier, and Mrs. Collier. They returned Monday,
Misses Joyce, Pricie and Bremda Hampton were overnight guests
of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hampton
Saturday,
Troy Engle is still in the Whitesburg Hospital. He is improving a
little.
Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Estep, Mr.
and Mrs. Linvel Sumpter were
visitors of the Fred Terrys Sunday
afternoon.

COMING SOON!

WAYNE O'HARA McLINTOCK!

TECHNICOLOR PANAVISION

Sharon Terry spent Sunday with Sandra Lou Estep at Oven Fork. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shepherd visited Mr, and Mrs. Oscar Mag-gard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. wendell Banks visited Mrs. Nellie Scott over the week end.
Cossie Collier spent Sunday night with his sister, Mrs. Nellie Scott.

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George Ison visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maggard Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Bichard Carter visited Mrs. Bichard Carter visited Mrs. Carter's mother over the week end. Mrs. Callie Boggs visited her daughter who is sick in Cumberland this week. Mrs. Nellie Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter Sınday. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter Sınday. Mrs. Haffield is an employee of the St. Joseph Hospital. Iohnny Terry was the overnight guest of Ronne Lynn Sumpter Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Shelton visited their daughter, Mrs. Marylın Sumpter Sunday night. Mrs. Dona Blair was released from the Benham Hospital this past week. Miss Joce Hampton was visit-

past week.
Miss Joyce Hampton was visiting Sharon Ann Terry Wednesday

ing Sharon Ann Terry Wednesday afternoon.
Earl Terry visited with his bro-ther, Fred Terry, Sunday, Miss Sandra Smith spent Satur-day with Mrs. Julie Maggard, They visited Mrs. Cassel Craiger and Mrs. Perl Smith. Frank Maggard, Maggie and

David visited the Cassel Craigers Saturday, and Sunday they had supper with them.
Mrs. Nellie Scott and daughter Mrs. Nina Banks visited Mrs. Julie Maggard Saturdy.
Cassel Craiger and Jack were shopping in Cumberland Saturday.
Sharon Terry spent Thursday night with Joyce Hampton.
Mr, and Mrs. Fred Terry, Mr, and Mrs. Edward Sumpter, Mr, and Mrs. Enoch Estep were visitors of Mr, and Mrs. D. W

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